

EBC Newsletter

February 2026

The Year of the Difficult Path

That doesn't sound too appealing, does it? Who wants life to be more difficult? Why would I choose such a path?

In 2026, we live for comfort. Efficiency. We want to gain a maximum impact for every effort we give forth. We want the most ROI we can get!!! (Return On Investment)

And that is exactly what Jesus called us to ... RIGHT?? A comfortable life that is all rainbows and fairy tales!!!

In the Sermon on the Mount (in Matthew 7), Jesus specifically told us that we might be drawn to the WIDE PATH and the WIDE GATE, but those who follow after Him would choose the narrow path. And the narrow gate. A gate that is harder to get through. A path that is harder to walk. Not for the sake of making life tough for us, but He said these things because the Way of Christ would be harder ... The world would make sure of it. But the more difficult way would actually lead to eternal life. The wide path leads to destruction, and many are on that path.

So ... This year, do your best to find the path that Christ has called you to. And KNOW that it might look narrow and difficult, but He will give us everything we need to make it. In the end, we will be glad we followed Him.

David



The narrow path to
wisdom is better than the
wide road to ignorance.

Matshona Dhlwayo

Ebenezer Church members can register for any available spots in the Ebenezer Weekday beginning Monday, February 16th and ending on Friday, February 20th. After that time, registration will be open to waiting list families.



Golf Cart Drivers Needed

Darlington Raceway Ministries needs Golf Cart Drivers for the Spring Race in Darlington March 20-22! You will be driving carts for fans parking in the ADA area and taking them to the Grandstands.

Shift times below are tentative:

Friday, March 20: 10:00 am – 4:00 pm
or 3:30 pm – 9:30 pm

Saturday, March 21: 8:30 am – 3:00 pm
or 2:30 pm – 8:30 pm

Sunday, March 22: 8:30 am – 3:00 pm
or 2:30 pm – 8:00 pm

You can drive all day or can serve for a shift. Training required and you must be at least 21 years old.

Contact Kim Andrews if you are interested or with any questions.



Ebenezer Children
in grades 3rd-5th
are invited to join us for

"Sleeping with the Sharks"

at Ripley's Aquarium in Myrtle Beach,
Friday night, March 27th.
We will travel by bus to the beach.

Cost is \$25

register to attend at tiny.cc/ebcshark

Do not be anxious about anything, but in every situation, by prayer and petition, with thanksgiving, present your requests to God. Philippians 4:6

The Betty Mears Group will meet on Thursday, February 12th at 10:30 am in the Mears House.

The nursing students from Francis Marion will be here on Wednesday, February 4th during the Supper hour taking blood pressure, checking sugar, etc. Please take a moment to stop by their table.



Reminder beginning Wednesday, February 4th, Prayer Meeting will begin at 6:00 pm in the Choir room.

Ways to give your tithe:

- text to 73256 and enter EBCSC
- drop it by the church office
- drop it in the secure church mailbox
- mail to 524 S. Ebenezer Rd.

Financial Report Through January 25, 2026

Year to date needs.....\$ 129,158.08

Year to date receipt.....\$ 126,895.55

Wednesday Night Supper Menu

February 4th : BBQ, Red Gravy & Rice, Potato Casserole, Broccoli Salad

February 11th : Hamburger Steak , Mashed potatoes, Green Peas

February 25th : Chicken Strips, Mac&Cheese, Green Beans

There will be NO Wednesday Night Activities Wednesday, February 18th



February Birthdays

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
1 Holdon Carter	2 Dennis Dorman Cliff Turner David Anderson	3	4 Kaitlyn Kempson Scarlett Glaz	5 Van Waddell Christine Cash Courtney Clemson Ella Garland Townsend William Bennett	6 Camden Blanding Nancy Adeline Turner	7 John Andrews Nikki Milligan
8 Starla McRae Linda Hardee Matt Clement	9 Ryder O'Neal Avery Garrett	10 Meagan Bennett	11 Noah Cooke Rudy Lee Vicki Strickland	12	13 Donnalene Pullen	14 Ted Bailey
15 Gail McLeod Samuel Townsend	16 Teresa Atwood Madison Gipko	17 David Sims	18 Jackson Miller Randy Harrelson Bayleigh Glaz	19 Lee White Jamion McAllister	20 Carol Cooke Heidi Newton	21 Bob Stamp Nancy McCormick Cynthia Young Carra Griffin
22 Gayle Hutchinson Dean Huiet	23 Derinda Connor Morgan Jordan	24 Van Threadgill Joni Tarte RP Gensel Claire Jordan Harriette Dawkins	25 Dennis Wade Nancy Sauciuc Anniston Kirshy	26 Gina Lee Jenny Hicks	27	28 Anne Bailey